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TOPIC Soviet Troops in Bruck on the Leitha River, Kaisersteinbruch and Vienna

EVALUATION see below

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25X1 Bruck on the Leitha River

1. On the morning of 9 October 1950 no units were observed in the barracks installation and garages southeast of the railroad station of Bruck on the Leitha River (P 49/X 77). Gate guards wore black-bordered red epaulets.

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Kaisersteinbruch

5. On 12 October 1950 nearly exclusively officers were seen in the cantonment in the southwestern sector of Kaisersteinbruch (P 49/X 67).

6. Only a few soldiers wearing black-bordered red epaulets were observed in the so-called New Camp in the eastern sector of the town. About 10 horse-drawn vehicles were standing there.

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Vienna

7. A train carrying five T34 tanks, which had been observed near the Vienna-Hauptzollamt railroad station on 6 October 1950, was unloaded at the Matzleinsdorf freight yard about midnight on the same day. The tanks went toward the Trost Kaserne.

8. Three more armored vehicles were unloaded at the Matzleinsdorf railroad station late in the afternoon on 14 October 1950. They also went toward the Trost Kaserne. ***

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*** [REDACTED] Comment. The tanks unloaded at the Matzleinsdorf railroad station belonged to tank components of the 13th Gds Mecz Div which returned to their home station after completion of their training period. The shipment on 6 October 1950 was previously reported. [REDACTED]

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